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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

IN RE: CATHODE RAY TUBE (CRT) ANTITRUST LITIGATION

This Order Relates To:

DIRECT PURCHASER CLASS ACTION CASES

MDL No. 1917

Case No. C-07-5944-SC

SCHEDULING ORDER RE: OBJECTIONS TO SPECIAL MASTER'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION ON DEFENDANTS' JOINT MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

On May 31, 2012, the Special Master filed his Report and Recommendation with respect to Defendants' Joint Motion for Summary Judgment against Direct Purchaser Plaintiffs ("DPPs"). 1221 ("R&R"). On June 12, counsel for the DPPs, for Defendants, and for the Direct Action Plaintiffs ("DAPs") signed and jointly filed a Stipulation notifying the Court that both the DAPs and the DPPs intend to object to the R&R. ECF No. 1228 ("Stip."). Stipulation also proposed a briefing schedule and page allotments.

On June 14, the Court deferred ruling on the Stipulation and ordered all parties who wished to file briefs relating to the R&R to submit a statement of issues and, in the case of the DAPs, to explain why they wished to participate in the briefing. 1230. On June 21, the parties timely complied. ECF Nos. 1236 (Defs.' Statement), 1237 (DAPs' Statement), 1238 (DPPs' Statement).

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Having reviewed the Statements, the Court grants the DAPs leave to submit briefing in this matter. Otherwise, the Stipulation is DENIED. Briefing on this matter shall be limited to a single brief from each party. The briefs shall be simultaneously filed within four weeks of the signature date of this Order. The briefs shall not exceed thirty (30) pages each. The hearing on these matters is set for Friday, August 10, 2012 at 10:00 a.m.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 26, 2012

